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FM SECSTATE WASHDC  
TO AMCONSUL GUAYAQUIL IMMEDIATE  
AMEMBASSY QUITO IMMEDIATE  
AMCONSUL RIO DE JANEIRO IMMEDIATE

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E.O. 11652: N/A

TAGS: CASC(PIERCE, JEFFREY MICHAEL)

SUBJECT: W/W JEFFREY MICHAEL PIERCE 11/23/53 CALIFORNIA

1. CONGRESSMAN B.F. SISK INTERESTED.
2. FAMILY RECEIVED LETTER FROM PIERCE FROM QUITO DATED 8/4 REQUESTING FUNDS. FATHER SENT FUNDS THROUGH BANK ON 8/10 TO BE PICKED UP AT BANK OF AMERICA, QUITO. MOTHER SENT FUNDS 8/12 AND BANK REPORTS THAT FUNDS HAVE NOT BEEN PICKED UP BY SON. PARENTS NOW CONCERNED FOR HIS WELL BEING. RETURN ADDRESS OF PIERCE WAS GIVEN AS AMERICAN EXPRESS, ECUADORIAN TOURS, QUITO. IN HIS LETTER TO FATHER, PIERCE SAID THAT HE WAS PLANNING TO TAKE TOUR OF GALAPAGOS ISLANDS. FAMILY INDICATED TO CONGRESSMAN THAT PIERCE MAY ALSO VISIT BRAZIL SINCE LETTER FROM FRIEND WAS SENT TO

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HIM AT HIS USA ADDRESS. LETTER CAME FROM VERA LUCIA OLIVEIRA, RUA FRANCO VALASCO, "C" APARTMENT 103 NAZARE, SALVADOR, B/A. PIERCE TRAVELS BY BUS AND TRAIN AND STAYS AT YOUTH HOSTELS. HE IS DESCRIBED AS 5'9", 160 POUNDS, BROWN HAIR, HAZEL EYES.

3. POSTS REQUESTED MAKE ATTEMPT LOCATE PIERCE, INFORM HIM

OF HIS PARENTS' CONCERN AND REQUEST HE COMMUNICATE WITH  
HIS FATHER BY COLLECT CALL OR CABLE. IF

UNABLE LOCATE PLEASE INFORM FATHER VIA DIRECT RELAY CABLE  
TO RALPH PIERCE, 612 MAYFLOWER, MODESTO, CALIFORNIA 95350  
TELEPHONE 209-522-7485.

4. NOTICE: PRIVACY ACT AUTHORIZATION REQUIRED IN CASES  
WHERE INFORMATION IS TO BE RELAYED BY DEPARTMENT OR POST  
TO INQUIRER. VANCE

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